## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Whereas, the 2001 Bands of America Grand National Championship is recognized as one of the most exciting and prestigious marching band events of its kind;

Whereas, more than 90 high school marching bands from across the nation competed in the three day competition held at the RCA Dome in Indianapolis on November 8th through November 10th, 2001;

Whereas, this year's Championship provided the closest finish in the history of Bands of America competition with five bands coming within one point of the National Championship;

Whereas, the Spirit of Central Marching Band emerged from a third-place finish in the semi-finals to capture a dramatic win in the final round of the competition by edging out the second place finisher by a mere five hundredths of a point; and

Whereas, though the Band has achieved numerous topten finishes, it was its stirring musical tribute to the cultural heritage of our Native American citizens that brought the Spirit of Central Marching Band its first-ever Grand

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## National Championship: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

1	SECTION 1. That, on behalf of the People of Indiana, the Indiana
2	General Assembly congratulates the Spirit of Central Marching Band
3	of Lawrence Central High School for winning the 2001 Grand National
4	Championship.
5	SECTION 2. That we applaud the efforts and dedication of the
6	Spirit of Central Marching Band members, directors, staff, parents and
7	other supporters of the program.
8	SECTION 3. The Secretary of the Senate is directed to transmit a
9	copy of this Resolution to Randy Greenwell, Director of the Band;
10	Matthew James, Assistant Director; Caroline Hanna, Principle of
11	Lawrence Central High School; and to each member of the Spirit of
12	Central Marching Band.



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